

DESERT HARBOR—A 55+ COMMUNITY—APACHE JUNCTION, AZ—NOVEMBER 2014

The monsoons are over and it's November -- already! by Connie Riter

Only two months until the end of the year. Time seems to fly by so fast at this time of year. Perhaps that is why on November 1, 1884, delegates from 25 nations met in Washington, DC and established time zones for the entire world (with every 15 degrees of longitude equaling one hour.) Was this an attempt to organize and hold onto time, if just for a moment. When we think of November we naturally think of Thanksgiving Day, and as we get older and have more time to reflect on our lives and the things for which we are thankful, we think of our country, our families, our friends, our health, our opportunity to enjoy retirement here in Arizona, and so many more things. It's not a perfect world and the challenges seem overwhelming at times, but we still are grateful for so much!

Is it a coincidence that during this month, on November 11th, we celebrate Veterans' Day -- a day to honor veterans of all wars. This is a good day to thank all the veterans who live in our Park for their service and to pray for an end to the fighting between nations and terrorist groups.

There are other lesser known holidays that occur during this month, too. Sandwiches, peanut butter, teddy bears, and saxophones also share the spotlight with our Thanksgiving turkey. November 3rd is National Sandwich Day, named for John Montagu, the 4th Earl of Sandwich (who was born on November 3rd, 1718). He is credited with inventing the sandwich and he certainly has saved us a lot of time cooking. Thanks, John. Nov. 6th is National Saxophone Day (I wonder if there is a kazoo day, too....) November 13th is Teddy Bear Day, established by the Vermont Teddy Bear Company, reminding us that everyone can use a hug from their special bear. November 21st is World Hello Day which was set aside in the hopes of making the world a friendlier place.

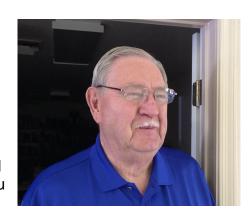
The entire month is designated National Peanut Butter Lovers Month. So, why not sit back, enjoy a peanut butter sandwich, and wait for Turkey Day on November 25th. And while you're munching, you may want to practice saying 'arigato', 'shukran', 'do jeh', 'dziekuje', 'spasibo', 'merci', 'danke', 'grazie', 'asante'. No matter how you say it, they all mean "Thank you."

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From the President's Desk

by Ken Camp

As of this writing I do believe we can start to see the light at the end of the tunnel with the remodel of our clubhouse. I do hope all of you are as proud of the clubhouse as I am. Long hours were put in for painting and now we are ready for the new blinds and curtains.



I would like to thank all of you who made this possible by contributing your time and your labor. For all the gals who put our kitchen back together and thanks to Karen and Clark, Steve, Tom, Dave, Tim, Mike, Bruno, and a special thanks to Miles for painting the clubhouse. Dave and I know now what "Building America" means. Thanks again to all of you! If I left anyone out, I thank you also.

Remember Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners are coming up, and volunteers will be needed to serve and to help prepare the food. I will be in charge of both dinners, so see me if you can help.

Remember to drive safely entering and leaving the Park.

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BIRTHDAYS - ANNIVERSARIES

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

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3	Roger Howard	16	7	Cliff & Phyllis Tessmer
5	Dave Borchardt	142	10	Bill & Jan Lofthus
5	Bill Warner	141	11	Frank & Mickey Kosar
7	Linda Lewis	23	20	Ross & Sophie Nation
8	Sandy Carmon	75	24	Rich & Sylvia Goodrich
9	Patti Fitzpatrick	94		·
10	Linda Aemmer	160		
12	Janie Kearney	141		
13	Gene Summers	189		
13	Dick Paprowicz	197		
15	Connie Farmer	175		
15	Kay McKersie	177		
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If you wish to add your birthday and/or anniversary or make any corrections to the list, please call Dick Smith at 480-983-5819

PHONE BOOK UPDATES:

NEW RESIDENTS:

Karen Hamilton Lot #111



If you have had a phone number change, please let Dick Smith know.

Dick is in lot #74 and his phone is 480-983-5819

UPCOMING EVENTS IN NOVEMBER & DECEMBER

December	6	Saturday	Resident's Meeting 9:00 am
	13	Saturday	Solstice Christmas Party
	17	Wednesday	Christmas Caroling 6:00 pm
	20	Saturday	Christmas Pot Luck 4:30 pm
	31	Wednesday	New Year's Eve Party
January	3 9 15 11 17 29	Saturday Friday Thursday Sunday Saturday Thursday	Resident's Meeting 9:00 am Karaoke 5-6 Happy Hour 6-8 Karaoke Chili Cook-Off Gospel Jam 6:30—8:30 Pot Luck—Italian Theme Gary Tyson Entertainment Comedy/Magic

September Pot Luck by Midge Drouin

The pot luck on the 20th of September was attended by 46 park residents. It was the first time we were able to use our new kitchen and appliances. Penny Newby gave the blessing over the food. Fifty-fifty tickets were sold and 2 cash prizes and a cook book were given as prizes. Many varieties of dishes were prepped by our park residents. Delicious food such as fried chicken, sweet and sour meatballs, green bean casseroles, corn casserole, scalloped potatoes, broccoli casserole, pasta salad, deviled eggs, baked beans and quite a variety of desserts. Our community church here at Desert Harbor were the hosts for this pot luck.



Everyone pitched in to clean up. It was decided to play card bingo, which seems to be very popular as roughly 30 people stayed to play. Ken Camp and Midge Drouin called the bingo.

Thanks to everyone who cooked, baked, set-up and cleaned up and to our host and hostess, Penny and Tom Newby. See you at the next pot luck.

You can also view the newsletter in full color at our website www.desertharboraz.net

Superstition Mountain Museum by Fran LeVeque

This trip was a delight. The Museum is a small slice of our history tucked under the beautiful mountain view. This is a perfect day trip. The staff is all volunteers who know the history of the area thoroughly and are eager to share it with visitors, including interesting side notes and legends. The museum building houses displays and artifacts from the area. It includes geological exhibits, Indian artifacts, and local lore. At the time of our visit there was a display of works by Ted DeGrazia which were lovely.

A gift shop is attached where a myriad of items are for sale, beautiful and unique at very reasonable prices. I was especially impressed by the useful books pertaining to the area.

Outside you can follow the nature walk to many local plant displays, even a graveyard! The grounds include a 20 stamp mill ore crusher, a number of items from the Apacheland Movie set are located there as well.

A lecture series will be held on the grounds starting in October and will include talks on all facets of the area and especially the Lost Dutchman Mine.

Helping Superstition Elementary School by Colleen Kitzman

Superstition Elementary School in Apache Junction has been benefiting from your generous gifts of food, cleaning supplies, and paper products for the past year. I will continue working with this local school in providing the needs as they request. There is always a need for paper products which include paper towels, Kleenex, and disinfectant wipes. There is also a need for hand sanitizer. Food items are generally staples like flour, sugar, beans, rice, cereals, and pasta.

You may bring any of the above items to my patio at lot 184. Many thanks to all of you who have donated and many thanks to all of you who will start. I deliver about once a month to a very appreciative school. Again, thanks and God bless! Colleen Kitzman 480-288-8155 Lot 184

Here's your chance to contribute to the new clubhouse décor.

We are having a photo contest to find the perfect pictures for our walls in the clubhouse. The ones chosen will be enlarged and reprinted onto canvas. Beginning in November you can submit to the Activity Board your photo/s of places, landscapes, etc. (no people or pets), you have taken within the state of Arizona (ONLY). This will continue through March 2015.

Please submit them in a printed out snapshot form but keep the digital/original until it might be needed for reprinting of the actual picture for our walls. <u>DO NOT WRITE YOUR NAME ON THE BACK PLEASE</u>. We want to keep this fair for all. <u>Submit your entry in an envelope into the inside mailbox on the wall marked "SUGGESTIONS"</u>. When the decisions are made the winning selections will be revealed at the April general meeting and at that time you can stand up and claim you were it's owner.

Highlights of the Residents Meeting by Connie Riter

The first meeting of the fall was held on Sept. 13, 2014 at 9 am. The entire board was present except for Sharon Ziccardi who was ill and Sherry Weinert who has not returned from summer vacation. Ken opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance and then introduced the new residents who were present: Scott and Charlene Hudson, lot 125; Don and Judy Childers, lot 201; Janie Kearney and Ellen Warner, lot 141; and Louis and Julayne Filip, lot 85.

The minutes of the May meeting were approved as well as the treasurer's report showing a balance of \$3154.86. It seems we have lost 9 months of paper recycling money, but the problem has been rectified and checks will now be sent directly to Tim and not to the office. Midge spoke on the ladies out of park luncheon being held this month at Culvers and invited all ladies to attend. Meet at the Clubhouse at 11:00 am. Kay McKersie mentioned that if you bring two cans of tuna, you can get a free ice cream cone.

Colleen Kitzman said that she will be collecting supplies for the school again -- paper towels, Kleenex, and whatever else she finds out they need. Fran LaVeque said she is knitting for charities. She is making lap robes for the Ironwood Cancer Center and is inviting anyone who would like to help her to come see her. Ken asked for a chairperson for the New Year's Eve Party. Felicia Hightower and Renee Spears offered to host it. We also need a chairperson for the Halloween party, but will wait until more people return to ask for volunteers. The pot luck in October on the 18th will have a Hawaiian theme. The Activities Committee will provide pulled pork sandwiches and everyone is asked to bring a dish with a Hawaiian theme, if possible.

Ken mentioned a "big event" which is planned for March -- which should raise quite a bit of money. Sales and crafts at the clubhouse, a car show, a cake walk, lunch, and other things will be available. More details later. A discussion was held about purchasing a used soda machine for the clubhouse for about \$400, but after much discussion, Bob Mayo made a motion which was seconded to table voting on it until we get more information. Ken asked for a motion which was approved, to pay Doug Stoesz \$200 for being our DJ for New Year's Eve. Connie is selling the Coyote Coupon Books once again, for \$20 each, and if we sell 50, we will make \$500. Karen spoke on a photo contest which will be held to re-decorate the clubhouse. More details to follow. Tracy spoke on the U-pick football contest again being held with Dave Borchardt's help. She also mentioned the Superstition Mountain Museum trip on Sept. 18th, and the pumpkin carving contest being held. Have your carved pumpkins to the clubhouse by 6pm on Oct. 31st. She is providing a \$100 gift certificate. A breakfast will be held on Sept. 24th, hosted by the board members. Tickets are \$4.00 in advance, or \$5.00 at the door. Meeting adjourned at 10:10am

ALUMINUM CANS

Please, please, please only put aluminum cans in the green recycling bin marked "aluminum cans". Ken & Tim (aka Sanford & Son) will dumpster dive to retrieve these cans and they are finding trash thrown in the dumpster. It can quickly become a messy and stinky situation for them so please DO NOT PUT TRASH in the recycling containers.

If you want to save your cans, we can pick them up at your house. Just let us know.

Crockpot Candy ~ To keep from eating it all, give as gifts!

32 oz dry roasted peanuts (I think I'm going to try almonds!)

12 oz semi sweet chocolate chips

4 oz German sweet chocolate bar (found in baking isle with chocolate chips)

32 oz white vanilla candy melts (I usually buy these at my local craft store with the cake decorating items. Can also buy online.)

Place ingredients in a Crockpot as listed. Do not stir. Cook on low for 1 1/2 -2 hours - do not open the lid! After cooking, stir and drop by spoonfuls on a parchment paper or lined pan. Allow to harden and store in a closed container... THESE ARE ADDICTIVE...



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Coyote Coupon Book Sales Off to a GREAT Start!

by Connie Riter

We have sold 14 coyote coupon books -- so far-- and a lot of the winter visitors are not back yet. The books are \$20 each and if we sell 50, we will make \$500 for our Activities Committee. Many of the people who buy the book use it for all the golf coupons, but there are many restaurant coupons and other things. Several ice cream coupons are there, pizza offers, pie offers, and even a coupon everyone can use who goes to the casino in Globe -- \$15 slot play. Using the book for just a few coupons will pay you back your initial investment. And...not every coupon is a bogo offer. I counted 16 coupons which don't require a buy one get one -- so people who go alone could still use the book. Free popcorn when you go to a movie at Dickinson's is one...See me for your book -- or call me and I'll send Art over to deliver one to you.

GOSPEL JAM SESSIONS

Desert Harbor will be hosting some Gospel Jam Sessions this coming winter season. Right now there are 3 of them planned, one in November, one in January and one in March.

They will be held on the 2nd Sunday of the month and run from 6:30 to 8:30 pm in the clubhouse.

This is a very lively and upbeat production that we are sure you will enjoy.

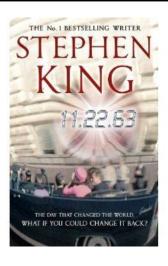
Church News by Barbara Fox

A lot has been happening since the ladies of the church sponsored the Mothers Day tea in May. We continue to have Bible Study on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 pm in the Craft Room. Phil Fox reports that we will be starting a new study on the book of Acts. All are welcome to attend. There is now a Men's Ministry that meets monthly for breakfast. Tom Newby is the contact for this ministry.

Community Worship at Desert Harbor is now signed up for the Fry's Community Rewards Program. If you shop at Fry's please contact Pastor Penny for more information about how to sign up and how this will help the church.

The September potluck was sponsored by the church. There was plenty of food and fun for all. On September 14th there was a baptismal service with 3 ladies in the park participating.

If you don't have a church home or just want to check us out, we have a non-denominational service every Sunday at 10:30 am in the club house.



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A story about time travel by Stephen King reviewed by Margo Crawford

Personally, I usually avoid books about time travel. Very few movies have ever lived up to my expectations on time travel either. However, this book by Stephen King was a very unique perspective between the years 2007, 1958 and eventually 1963. A man enters a diner in 2007 and learns that the owner has been going back in time. He goes back to the same day of the same year at the same time and buys fresh meat for his hamburgers. Since he travels back to a time of lower prices he can sell his burgers at less cost and still make money. But this type of time travel has a price and the owner of the diner is now suffering severe health issues. He encourages our hero to just make one trip back in time to that one day, in that one year at the same time. One trip isn't enough. Our hero goes back time and again and breaks the one and only rule, "Don't change anything." A small change on one trip leads to another change to help change back the first change and etc. Finally, our hero decides to stay in 1958. He thinks he can make it there and perhaps change the events of November 22, 1963 in Dallas, Texas.

I listened to this book and enjoyed every minute of it. There are a few of those 'time travel' hiccups but overall it is extremely well laid out. At the end of the book Stephen King made a statement in which he said there was a tremendous amount of research for dates and events. When Oswalt was in Russia, when he came back to the U. S. and for the time he was living in New Orleans. The main character's life and travels have to match the actual time line and etc. Mr. King did a masterful job of handling details and the cause and effect of situations and timing. And even our hero finds out there is a price to be paid for traveling through a period of time where you don't belong.

CHIT CHAT AROUND THE PARK



Eggs Your Way by Connie Riter

Over 45 people enjoyed breakfast served in our newly remodeled kitchen on Wednesday, Sept. 24th. The Activities Committee Board Members were the hosts and tickets were sold in advance to determine how many might be coming. Ken Camp, Dave Borchardt, Tim Chrissis, and Sharon Ziccardi did the cooking. Pancakes, sausage, and eggs cooked the way you wanted them, orange juice, and toast were served. Connie Riter made her mimosas for anyone who wanted one. Midge Drouin collected tickets as people arrived. Everyone was asked to put their name on the back of their ticket and a raffle was held at the end of breakfast. Sharon McCall's ticket was drawn and she was presented with a 2015 Coyote Coupon Book. More breakfasts will be planned in the future since so many people seemed to enjoy this one.

Out Of Park Luncheon by Midge Drouin

On Tuesday, September the 16th, the lady residents here at Desert Harbor went out for their usual monthly out of the park lunch. There were 21 ladies signed up to go to a restaurant called Culvers. We all met at the clubhouse at11 AM where Midge Drouin had roll call. The reason for roll call is so no one gets left behind. A few ladies offered to car pool.

Culvers offers many different meals such as: fried chicken, hamburgers, fries, and many sides which can substitute for fries, and soup. Soft drinks, shakes, coffee, tea, water, and ice cream are also served.

Everyone seemed to have enjoyed their meal and being able to socialize.

There was no discussion as to where the next luncheon will be held, but keep your eyes open for the next sign-up sheet

ITEMS FOR SALE OR ITEMS WANTED

FOR SALE: Freestanding Bose Speakers \$50.00, Margo Crawford 623-910-2713 (lot #104)

HEALTH ARTICLE by Midge Drouin

What Your Hair & Scalp Say About Your Health

Does Bad Hair Mean Bad Health?

Is your hair trying to tell you something about your health? Maybe. Some conditions and medications affect your body as well as your hair. In other cases, you may just need to take better care of your hair or scalp. Use this pictorial guide to see what separates myth from fact when it comes to your health and your hair.

White Flakes Pose No Health Risk

Dandruff isn't contagious. So how do you get it? Doctors aren't sure, but one theory is that it may be due to an overgrowth of a fungus. Other possible risk factors include oily skin, stress, obesity, cold, dry weather, and having eczema or psoriasis. Although it's embarrassing -- and the itching can be bothersome -- dandruff isn't harmful.

Tips for Dandruff Treatment

To decrease the buildup of dandruff's dead skin cells, try using an antidandruff shampoo daily. Leave shampoo on for 5 minutes, then rinse well. You may need to try several dandruff shampoos to find one that works best for you. If one stops working, try another. If that doesn't help, call your doctor.

Yellow Dandruff?

If the dandruff flakes you see are greasy and yellow, you may have seborrheic dermatitis. It's an inflammatory skin condition that can occur where there are lots of oil glands, like the scalp and face. Though seborrheic dermatitis is related to hormones, fungus, and even some neurological problems, it's treated the same as dandruff: with antidandruff shampoos. Severe cases may need a prescription steroid or antifungal medicine.

You May Shed More Than You Think

It's not a perfect measure, but some experts estimate that we may shed up to 100 or more hairs a day. That's no cause for alarm, nor does it mean you're going bald. About 90% of your 100,000 hair follicles are producing hair at any given time. The other 10% are in a resting (telogen) phase, and the hair falls out after about 2 to 3 months. It's replaced by new hair, and the growth cycle starts over again.

What Causes Telogen Effluvium?

A shock to your system -- surgery, giving birth, some medications, crash diets, severe stress, thyroid problems -- can push hair into its resting, or telogen, state. About two months later, you may see hair falling out and thinning -- a condition called telogen effluvium, sometimes described as hair "coming out in handfuls." In most cases, new hair starts growing right away

The Fall from Grace

This short story is based on true events. Names have been changed to protect the innocent.....

It had only been a few months since Eileen's death. Edward was not adjusting well to being a widower. It had been a long hard battle with cancer that had taken his wife of 35 years.

Edward was in denial the whole time Eileen was ill. Even when she was bedfast he rarely spent time in her room. The rugged life of a farmer went on as usual for him. Working from dawn to dusk or after, he tried to get everything done. After work he was usually so exhausted he fell asleep while reading the newspaper and "watching the news." His only outlet from the farm work had been square dancing. He and Eileen had been passionate about learning to dance and then teaching others to do the same. They had formed their own "club" eight years earlier.

Eileen was a dedicated elementary school teacher. She was a petite woman with blonde hair which she wore in a shoulder length bob. She was kind to her students and was always interested in the lives of her 4 children. All were married now and she and Edward had 10 grandchildren.

Eileen's oldest daughter, Marge was a secretary for a bank president and she had 3 children. Her second daughter, Nina, was the owner of a small business and she had 2 sons. Her son, Greg, was an engineer with 2 children and Bernice, her youngest daughter, was a nurse. She had 3 children.

Eileen's favorite holiday was Christmas. Every Christmas she would have her entire family for Christmas dinner. All the cousins would enjoy visiting each other and their doting grandmother. At the right moment the "kids" presented their mom and dad with their Christmas present which took weeks to decide upon. It was always a grand and exhausting day but Eileen loved having her family around her.

And then one Christmas things changed. After the usual festivities Eileen made an announcement. She had found a lump in her right breast and needed to have surgery which was scheduled the day after New Years. Everyone was speechless. The celebration went on as usual but there was a dark cloud hanging over the family. Edward was wondering to himself how he could keep the farm going with his wife having surgery. He decided it would only be for a short time so he could manage. If needed, he would ask his son to help him.

Eileen had surgery in January 1972. She recovered quickly and returned to work within six months. She was told by her doctors that "they got all the cancer." She would not have to have chemotherapy or radiation. Life was good but there was always that lingering doubt .in everyone's mind. What if...?

Two years after the original surgery, Eileen started having severe headaches and back pain. She made an appointment to see her doctor. Diagnostic testing was ordered. X-rays showed bone cancer in the lumbar region which was causing her debilitating back pain. The headaches were from the many spots of brain cancer that appeared on the brain MRI. She was not to be a 5 year survivor. As her condition deteriorated the family would either stay with her or arrange for someone to sit with her. During the night Edward was to care for her.

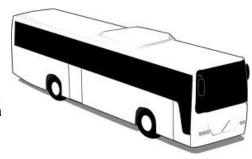
After multiple hospitalizations and radiation therapy the family knew that Eileen's condition was terminal. Everyone dealt with their fears and grief differently but all the kids pitched in to help care for Eileen. They wanted her to be able to stay in her own home and not go to a nursing home. On one visit, Eileen wanted Nina to start marking some of her prized possessions that she wanted to give to certain people. Nina, totally in denial, stated, "Oh, we don't have to worry about that now."

Several months passed and Eileen died early on September 13, 1974. It was a Friday. Edward notified the family and immediately all the siblings came to be with Edward. Edward seemed to be in a daze. When the doctor came he asked which funeral home was to be notified. Edward did not answer. He had not even thought of funeral homes. Bernice, the daughter who was the nurse looked at her father and asked, "Which funeral home do you want to use, Dad?" This was answered with a blank stare. Bernice then responded to the doctor. "We'll use the Trent Funeral home since Eileen's family always used this facility." Edward was still speechless.

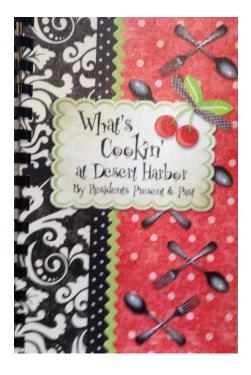
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Bus Trips Available by Connie Riter

In the clubhouse is a book of bus trips for the coming season -- from a trip to the Festival of Lights in Besh-ba-gowa to a Phoenix City Tour, a tour of the boneyard and Titan Missile Museum in Tucson, Taliesin West, Karchner Caverns, a White Christmas play at the Broadway Theater, and many others. In the front of the book is a list of prices



and dates. Call me to make reservations so that our Activities Committee can receive a 5% commission, and remember to make your reservations early because most trips sell out quickly. Several people have found this out already! We're making our reservations now for the Turf Paradise Gold Cup event on Feb. 14th. There are only 40 seats available. Cost is \$89 per person and includes a hot plated Prime Rib lunch and several other special perks. If we can find two more couples, we can get a "park pick-up." Wouldn't you like to come with us?



CHRISTMAS IS COMING

Looking for that perfect Christmas gift for your family and friends? Look no further, we have it right here!

The "What's Cookin' at Desert Harbor" cook book is available with a limited number of copies. The cook book was printed in January of 2013 and we sold over 100 copies. We now have 65 copies left and at \$10.00 per book, this makes an excellent gift for Christmas and they wont last long.

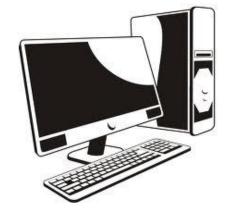
There is information and history about Desert Harbor and of course the wonderful, wonderful cooks that live or have lived here at Desert Harbor. We will have these for sale at all events and meetings in the upcoming months.

Contact anyone on the board for your copy.

COMPUTER CORNER

by Margo Crawford

This is a reprint of an article we had in July, but people are still receiving these types of scam calls so please just be aware that these sales people are out there.



"Hi, this is a Microsoft technician calling...." by Margo Crawford Oh no it isn't! They will continue with, "We are receiving error notices from your computer."

If you get a call of this type do not, repeat DO NOT, follow their instructions! This is a major scam call and they will end up with information from your computer and you will more than likely pay a fee for their 'assistance'.

If you have the minutes or time on your phone or service plan go ahead and play with them if you wish but do not give them information. It seems they are calling land line numbers but I guess they could call a cell phone. Marty has been receiving such calls on a fairly regular basis. He has told them things like.... Which of my 12 computers are you monitoring? This is a repair shop and I need to know which one it is.... The woman hung up. Another time he asked why they were 'monitoring' his computer.... The woman hung up. Another time Marty's daughter kept them on the phone while she checked all the 'windows' in the house... lol She made comments like "no, we have 14 windows in the house not 7..... No, the windows are clean! Oh you do windows???? If you mess with them they will hang up. So either just hang up on them or have some fun but never, never give these callers any information! There is no way Microsoft 'has the time, authority or enough staff to monitor computers!

Be safe in the cyber world.

Patio Sale Info....by Midge Drouin

If you are planning on having an individual patio sale, sign up and pick up a pink flag which will be located at the clubhouse the night before the sale. The pink flag indicates that you are having the sale at your residence (carport). The sale hours are from 7AM on Saturday, November 8th till 12 noon.

The night before the sale you may stop by at the clubhouse to preview and buy books, baked goods, recipe books, coyote coupon books, and white elephant items. You will get your first choice on things you would like to purchase.

If you are planning on donating items for the sale you may drop them off the night before, especially baked items. Books and white elephant items may be dropped off that Wednesday before the sale in the craft room. We would appreciate it if you could mark your items with prices.

This is one of the activities the board sponsors. If you have any questions regarding this event, call Midge @ 602-459-9039. Volunteers will be greatly appreciated for this event.

DESERT HARBOR RESIDENTS OFFER SERVICES

<u>NAME</u>	<u>LOT</u>	SERVICE	<u>PHONE</u>
Midge Drouin	203	Haircuts, Styling, Blow Drying	602-459-9039
Margo Crawford	104	Photo restoration, scanning-slides	623-910-2713
Dorothy Mueller	155	Avon Products, Free Boxes	480-984-9780
Esther Lough	123	Puppy Sitting	480-288-8579
Connie Riter	81	Bus Trips	480-641-7753
Renee Spears	57	Reiki Sessions	480-215-8328
Jean Myers	44	Pet & House Sitting, Drive to Store, Doctor's Office, Airport, House Cleaning	480-671-4481
Bob Myers	44	Yard work, odd jobs	480-671-4481
John Williams	162	Handyman	602-561-4562
Liz Pawlowski	6	Odd jobs, anything you can't do yourself	619-508-9402
Karen Majur	173	Sweet Life Home Sales	480-250-2219
Miles Lowery	107	Exterior pressure washing, screens & windows, exterior painting, tighten jacks under home, repair-replace roofs, handyman	480-276-8568

Updates to the calendar can always be found on the website www.desertharboraz.net

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 8am Coffee/Donuts 9am Residents Meeting 5:30 Texas Hold'em Poker
2 10:30 am Church 1pm Texas Hold'em Poker	3 7:15am Water Aerobics 8am Exercise 1pm Mahjongg 6:30pm Bingo 6:30pm Billiards	4 7:15am Water Aerobics 12pm Ladies Soup/Salad Luncheon 6:30pm Bible Study 6pm NDQ Poker	5 7:15am Water Aerobics 8am Exercise 10-12 Craft Class 1-3 pm Quilting	6 7:15am Water Aerobics 11am Golf 1pm cards 7pm Shuffleboard 6:30pm Billiards	7 7:15am Water Aerobics 8am Exercise 4pm Happy Hour 7pm Cards	8 7am to 12pm Patio Sale 5:30 Texas Hold'em Poker
9 10:30 am Church 2-4pm Casino Day 6:30-8:30 Gospel Singers	7:15am Water Aerobics 8am Exercise 1pm Mahjongg 6:30pm Bingo 6:30pm Billiards	7:15am Water Aerobics 6:30pm Bible Study 6pm NDQ Poker 7pm Cards	12 7:15am Water Aerobics 8am Exercise 10-12 Craft Class	7:15am Water Aerobics 11am Golf 1-3 pm Quilting 1pm Cards 7pm Shuffle- board 6:30pm Billiards	14 7:15am Water Aerobics 8am Exercise 4pm Happy Hour 7pm Cards	15 8am Coffee/Donuts 1-3pm Memorial for Dick Lazzari 5:30 Texas Hold'em Poker
16 10:30 am Church 1pm Texas Hold'em Poker	17 7:15am Water Aerobics 8am Exercise 1pm Mahjongg 6:30pm Bingo 6:30pm Billiards	18 7:15am Water Aerobics 11am Ladies Luncheon 6:30pm Bible Study 6pm NDQ Poker 7pm Cards	19 7:15am Water Aerobics 8am Exercise 1pm cards 10-12 Craft Class 1-3 pm Quilting	20 7:15am Water Aerobics 11am Golf 9:15am Casino Trip 7pm Shuffleboard 6:30pm Billiards	21 7:15am Water Aerobics 8am Exercise 4pm Happy Hour 5:30 Texas Hold'em Poker 7pm Cards	22 8am Coffee/Donuts 4:30pm Happy Hour 5pm Thanksgiving Pot Luck
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